

LOCAL NOTES.

Plant sweet peas now.
Sanitas is the best disinfectant.
Goods delivered promptly at Balentine's.
Big lot of stoneware just in at Balentine's.
Good roasted coffees a specialty at Balentine's.
Sam Frazier returned from St. Louis today.
Fresh groceries on hand at all times at Balentine's.
L. J. Frogge is quite sick at his home in this city.
Pryor Creek has started a search for artesian water.
John McCracken was over from Watson last night.
Mrs. W. S. Standfield is confined to her home through illness.
Fred Ratcliff is home from William Jewell College on a vacation.
Mel Briggance of Honey Grove, Texas was visiting relatives here.
Uncle Dick Parks is here from Chelsea attending the Culpepper meetings.
The "flowers that bloom in the spring" will be in evidence in a few days.
Mrs. W. J. Wade is here from South McAlester visiting her sons, W. T. and Sacke.
Vote as you please next Tuesday unless some "party" has you strung on the "line."
Mrs. August Schliecker and her sister, Mrs. McNam, came down from Fairland Tuesday.
Thomas Bluejacket and wife are at Nowata visiting their son, W. T. Bluejacket and family.
Bob Allen has taken a contract for foundations for ten new houses to be built by Chas. McClelland.
Will Patterson, after an illness of several weeks, was able to resume his duties at the postoffice this week.
Webb Brothers are putting up a lot of Champion harvesting machinery which they are local agents for.

Butter, eggs and poultry taken in exchange at the Rambo store. Get our prices before you sell.
Assistant District Attorney Orrin L. Rider left for Mobile, Ala., last night to attend a wedding.
Mayor Hyatt and W. E. Rowsey, of Muskogee, are in Washington on business with the interior department.
In preparing ground for blooming plants do not have it too rich, and be sure to mix in a little clay and sand.
Misses Evelyn Green and Myra Radcliff returned from Prury last week. They will enter Willis Halliell College.
We are informed by private letter that Chelsea is to have a savings bank with a capital stock of \$100,000, open July 4, 1902.
The World's Fair Special yesterday came in over the M., K. & T. tracks from the south, owing to the wreck on the Frisco.
Jesse Rogers the negro egg appropriator was sentenced to 30 days in Muskogee jail by Commissioner Standfield yesterday afternoon.
The new building of the Green & Good Implement company is nearly completed and will soon be occupied with an immense line of implements and vehicles of every description.
Some one ramrodded Chief Huntington of the rapid approach of April 1st, today and he took out an additional insurance policy. The chief is pretty big, but he can feel a bunch.
Rev. N. B. Wickham of Guthrie, superintendent of the Children's Home Society, of which there is a branch organization in this city, was here last night enroute to Muskogee.
To hear the "demagogue" leaders of Vinita talk "politics," one would think that the fate of the national democratic party depended upon the number of votes the "straight democratic ticket" received here next Tuesday.
Jesse Landrum and John Landrum, two members of the colored Baptist flock, were acquitted by a jury in the commissioner's court Monday afternoon, on a charge of disturbing the peace of their shepherd.

The Meteor Wrecked.
The Frisco's handsome new train, "The Meteor," southbound, left the track near Francis, in the Choctaw nation Monday, and four passengers were seriously injured. The trainmen were unable to account for the accident as the track was in good condition. A special party of Frisco officials and St. Louis newspaper men were on the train.
Notice to Emigrant Cherokees.
John C. Duncan is in Pryor Creek with a roll purporting to be a copy of the Cherokee Emigrant Pay-Roll of 1832. The roll is the people to whom the \$1,300,000 is supposed to belong. All emigrants should see him and learn their status on that roll. For his change in locations notice this paper.
Another Artesian Well.
The machinery was set this morning for drilling an artesian well on the Fortner & Bagby property adjoining Dr. Fortner's residence lot on the south. Those interested in the undertaking are, Dr. B. F. Fortner, Dr. Oliver Bagby, N. R. Rider, Wm. Mellette, Jas. S. Davenport, Arthur F. Chamberlin and J. F. Quillian. The well will be the first one in that section of the town.
An Important Suit.
Through his attorneys, Smith & Mellette, a petition for an injunction has been filed in the United States court by J. M. Daugherty, the Okfuska cattleman, restraining Robt. L. Owen, J. S. Wishard, and the Indian Land and Trust Company of Muskogee, from interfering with the plaintiff's possession of certain lands in the Creek nation.
The plaintiff alleges the defendants have encroached on pasture lands that he has regularly leased through the secretary of the interior. The court granted a temporary injunction, making P. L. Soper and Chief Porter intervenors.
The case is expected to expose the illegal land leasing, conducted by the Muskogee company, of which R. L. Owen is the president.
Go to the Rambo store and if you don't see what you want, ask for it.

GETTING WISE.
Delegate Flynn Writes a Very Pretty Statehood Letter for Publication.
OUR HEAVENLY TWIN
Is Depicted as Ripe for Statehood and Dennis as its Great Champion, but Majority of Oklahomans Have Their Suspicions.
In a letter to an eastern paper with a western circulation, Dennis Flynn has assigned the reasons why Oklahoma should be granted statehood.
He figures in the effusion as being an ardent champion of the cause, though over in Oklahoma there is a well defined suspicion that Dennis talks one way and works another.
The following is part of his effort:
"The most remarkable condition presented in the rapid development and settlement of Oklahoma is the fact that its population is unlike that of any other territory. A foreigner in Oklahoma is almost unknown. The territory embracing this last large area of tillable land where irrigation is not necessary has been settled and occupied by native born Americans from all parts of our country. There is a blending in this territory of the north and the south, Northern push and energy commingles with southern hospitality and courtesies, and, on the same farm, the northern wheat kisses the white down of the cotton of the south. The past does not record, nor can the future hope for another example of such wonderful advancement and growth as has been witnessed in Oklahoma within a little more than a decade.
"In claiming statehood, the people of Oklahoma do so because they believe that they can show to congress not only all the necessary qualifications, but also better qualifications and more reasons than were ever advanced by any territory that has applied for admission into the sisterhood of states. They believe that there are more people within the boundary of the territory than were ever claimed by any territory which has heretofore been admitted into the Union as a state. They now have more population than Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Delaware, Florida, Montana, Wyoming, Washington, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota or several other states that might be mentioned. Were the representation on the floor of the lower house of congress based upon the actual population, and not upon the population two years ago, Oklahoma, if admitted, would be the first state to enter the Union with three representatives and two senators."
The letter has been labeled "Blind," and laid away with many other published utterances of Dennis, who is known to be the most consistent enemy of statehood or any other change from the conditions which he has ridden into office on.
Pensacola Items.
Mr. Coble is still very sick.
Mrs. Curtis is on the sick list.
Mark King is working for E. C. Gormley.
Oats are coming up fine in this neighborhood.
Bro. Turner was in the neighborhood Sunday.
John Hall and his clerk have been breaking sod.
Jodie Thompson, Mr. Gormley's nephew, is quite sick.
Bro. Bledsoe preached at Midway church last Sunday.
The public school here has been better than was expected.
Maggie King was visiting at Lewis Thompson's Monday.
Most of the farmers are behind this spring with corn planting.
Mr. Carr Stilly is going to live where Bro. Jones lived. He has already moved.
Several of our young people have been going to hear the debate at Ada, between Presiding Elder Hicks, and Rev. Woods, of Pryor Creek.
Bro. Jones preaches his farewell sermon Easter Sunday. We expect that he will leave us, to go to Canada on the 2nd of April, Bro. Terry and family following on the 7th.
Bill Bennett left us last week, to go to Chicago where he intends to make his home. We are sorry to lose Will, he is a young man of sterling qualities and an ornament to any neighborhood. F.L.C.

AN INSIGNIA OF GOOD PRINTING!

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The Chieftain Publishing Co.



Good printing is the result of proper equipment, the right kind of material and good workmanship. These three features have always been the guide lights of our office, and coupled with a conservative and consistent schedule of prices have built for us the most stable and best paying patronage enjoyed by any printing house in the Indian Territory. If you are not satisfied with the quality of work furnished by your printer, or if his prices are not in keeping with the finished product, come and see us. We print everything—print it well—print it quickly—and charge you a price based upon the cost of material, labor, and a legitimate profit.

The Chieftain Publishing Company, Vinita, I. T.

Jumbo Store

High Standard Clothes.

There is an indefinable something
.... about our men's spring

SUITS

that bespeaks clothes character. The styles are original and distinctive, and the many new kinks in tailoring gives them a high class merchant tailor effect. There is a great deal of satisfaction in selecting your spring suit now, as our stock is large and embraces the latest fabrics in plaids, checks and stripes, well made up and perfect fitting. If you will let us show you our line of men's and boys' clothing we will easily convince you that it pays to buy your clothes at the Jumbo store.

PERFECT FITTING MEN'S SUITS
From \$7.50 to \$15.00

Mothers who find it a hard matter to get the right kind of clothes for their boys should try one of our "Manly" Suits.



"Manly" Suits from \$1.50 to \$5.00.
Kindergarten Suits from \$1.50 to \$4.00.
Norkfolk Suits from \$3.00 to \$4.50.

The "MANLY," from the famous Twentieth Century line, is a creation which enjoys a prestige seldom known outside of the adult styles. It is adapted to a boy's dress requirements, or to the hard service of every day wear. It appeals to the boy and mother with its snappy "little gentleman" effect. Its label ("S & S Bros., Chicago") leaves nothing to be said for its material and tailoring. We show it in a wide range of attractive colors and fabrics—you will find it nowhere else.

Don't forget our Furnishing Goods department. We are showing the most complete stock in this line in the territory

Jumbo Store

THESE HAVE LOST.

Secretary of Interior Affirms Decision of Dawes Commission in Citizenship Cases.

Special to Daily Chieftain.
Muskogee, I. T., March 26, 1902.—The United States commission to the five civilized tribes has received notice that the commission's decision rejecting the following applications for enrollment in the Cherokee nation has been affirmed by the secretary of the interior:

John A. Brown
Hosey Martin
John T. Patterson
Lovel P. Ballard
Ada B. Wood
John Jackson
Celestia D. Harlan
Joseph B. Dancer
Josephine Daniels
Myrtle Garland
Baxter Garland
Amanda R. Gourd
George W. Fisher
Severa Hunt
Addison A. Buxton
Bryant W. Briley
Arthur F. Faulkner
Albert B. Shelly
Nellie O. Nicholson
James O. Epperson
William T. Audoe
Frank Waters
Almeda Thompson
Sadie Wood
Maggie O. Beck
Jennie Backbone
Edgar R. Rutherford
Annie B. Hall
Walter N. F. Shipley
Wix P. Hall
Nathan H. Housley
Ida Morton
John M. Pace

APPROPRIATION BILL

Will Provide for an Increase in the Dawes Commission.

The senate subcommittee on Indian affairs has completed its consideration of the Indian appropriation bill and the results have been reported to the full committee. The bill has been amended to provide for the increase of the Dawes commission to five members, with instructions to close the work of the commission by July, 1903, prohibit the establishment of any more townships in the Indian territory pending the allotment of lands to the Indians; and for the payment of outstanding Creek warrants, amounting to \$610,000.

WEDDING BELLS.

Gordon-Brace Nuptials Solemnized at Presbyterian Church Wednesday Morning.

At the Presbyterian church Wednesday, Miss Bezie Brace, one of Vinita's most winsome social favorites was united in marriage to Mr. Clarence E. Gordon, a prominent young business man of Whitesboro, Texas.

Rev. J. S. Stubblefield, assisted by Rev. J. B. Culpepper, officiated at the simple and impressive ceremony.

The bride was waited upon by Miss Fannie Knight and Mr. Chas. Walker attended the groom. The ushers were Mr. Vanne McSpadden and Mr. Keller Walker. Mrs. J. I. Morning presided at the organ and at the first majestic chord of the ever beautiful Mendelssohn wedding march, the wedding party entered the church by different aisles, meeting in front of the officiating clergymen at the altar.

The bride was gowned in a brown traveling suit very becoming to her pet and graceful figure. At the conclusion of the ceremony an informal reception was held in the church, and the happy couple left on the flyer for Texas "mid a shower of rice and anti quated footwear."

They will make their home at Whitesboro, Texas, where Mr. Gordon is engaged in business as a member of the Adney Mercantile Co. The bride will be greatly missed in Vinita society circles where she has long reigned a favorite.

Notes From Chelsea.

The Embroidery club met with Mrs. J. L. Kell Thursday.
Mrs. W. H. H. Scudder is visiting her daughter at Checotah.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruebottom, from Edna, Kan., have been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Hendrix.

Mrs. Fannie C. Alken is down from Vinita helping to nurse Mrs. Poole, who is not improving much.
Eva Wolf, of Gwendale, returned home last Friday, after spending a couple of weeks with the Misses Parks, having come down to attend the wedding of Miss Bees to Dr. Clayton.

The wives and sweethearts of the band boys gave them a surprise in the way of a picnic last practice night, by breaking in the ball, loaded with sandwiches, cakes and coffee.

EASTER MILLINERY.

Marvelous Display of Millinery and Silks at Badgett-Sanders Opening Tuesday Night.

Everybody loves Easter and puts his best foot forward on that day. Good luck, you know, will abide with you all the year through if you get into some new toggery on Easter morning.

The Badgett-Sanders Mercantile company have built up a trade in millinery that has not only taken years of time and large investments of cash, but their customers about this time of year look to them for an opening that in elegance, in design and lateness of style, will satisfy the most fastidious trade, and please the intelligent purchasers they have been catering to all these years.

While the band discoursed sweet music outside a throng of ladies, and gentlemen, and children surged inside admiring the beauties in silks, laces, Easter hats and finery of every description. More than for mere display, the thought was irresistible that "here is the place to find the latest styles, and of the best possible make." The metropolitan millinery centers have been ransacked in order that the ladies of Vinita might have placed in their reach the very latest and best. There are no more critical, fashionable, and tasty buyers and wearers of stylish millinery anywhere than there are right here in Vinita, and to meet this very demand, expense has not been spared.

The old plan of openings where dazzling drapery and richly decorated interior prevailed, has largely given way to the more substantial methods now employed where good taste sees at a glance that what is wanted can be had.

The display of silks was one of the features of the Badgett-Sanders opening. Perhaps never before was so abundant, so new and so altogether bewildering a collection of silks seen in Vinita. The east window of the dry goods department carried off the palm for beauty. It was skillfully hung with delicate rosebuds and a profusion of artificial flowers with a row of Easter hats in the center. A crowd gathered about this beautiful window loath to leave it.

When children have exercise, satiate a piece of cotton with Ballard's Snow Liniment, and place it in the ear. It will stop the pain quickly. Price, 25 and 50c, at People's Drug store.

Review of Court Work.

During the recent civil term of court 113 cases on the common law docket were finally disposed of.

There were 46 court days, 30 days of jury service and 37 jury trials. The expenses of the court, out of the salaries of officials, were \$2,388 and the judgments returned aggregated \$20,850.

In addition to the 113 common law cases many probate matters were adjudicated, and other legal impediments disposed of.

For the next setting of court 15 civil cases are already on the docket which will be greatly augmented by the time court opens.

The next term opens the first Monday in May, when the criminal docket will come up for clearance first.

The above memorandum gives some idea of the vast amount of business handled by the federal court.

Dangers of Pneumonia.

A cold at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia which is often fatal, and even when the patient has recovered the lungs are weakened, making them peculiarly susceptible to the development of consumption. Foley's spongy and Tar will stop the cough, heal and strengthen the lungs and prevent pneumonia. For sale at People's drug store.

Administrators Notices.

United States, Indian Territory, Northern District, In the United States Court for said district.
To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that the following executors and administrators have filed accounts current and reports for the settlement of the estates of the deceased, and the same have been examined and approved by the court, and the same are hereby confirmed, and the same are hereby allowed to stand as the final settlement of the estates of the deceased.
No. 17, J. W. H. Thompson, administrator of the estate of J. W. H. Thompson, deceased.
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